## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE re the Application of Group Art Unit: 3729 zuki SATO et al. A. Tugbang Application No.: 09/809,278 1 Examiner: Filed: March 16, 2001 Docket No.: 108964 MAGNETORESISTIVE ELEMENT MAIL STO RCE For: SUBSTRUCTURE, MAGNETORESISTIVE ELEMENT AND MICRO DEVICE, AND METHODS OF MANUFACTURING SAME LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111 RECEIVED OCT 3 1 2003 Commissioner for Patents TECHNOLOGY CENTER HISTOR P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicant(s) hereby request(s) continued examination. Applicant(s) further request(s) entry and consideration of the: submission filed [Date]. attached submission. The submission filed [Date] is not to be entered. The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d). Attached hereto is our check no. 147748e amount of \$\infty\$ \$770.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed. spectfully submitted, 10/30/2003 AWDNDAF1 00000034 09809278

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